FORM NO. 51-4A 25X1A2g SEPT, 1948 SETRET/CONTROL - U.S. OFFICIALS ONLY **2 : CIA-RDP82-00457R0023006** ENCE AGENCY Approved For Rele TION REPORT CD NO. 84. Il 60 III 41 15 Feb 1949 Germany (French Zone)/France DATE DISTR. COUNTRY NO. OF PAGES 1 Impending Resignations of SUBJECT François-Poncet and Guerin NO. OF ENCLS. PLACE 25X1A6a (LISTED BELOW) ACQUIRED SUPPLEMENT TO DATE OF I REPORT NO. 25X1X6 From persons in the Abteilung Wirtschaft in Baden-Baden, informant has heard that French emissary François-Poncet has refused to resume his job of special consultant with General Koenig. François-Poncet's visit to Germany convinced him that the French Zone is so corrupt that he will not risk his good name by further work there and Ramadier that he will not continue French Zone governors, from provincial are discharged. François-Poncet is said to have submitted a list of the men he wants fired, and Schuman and Ramadier have promised to check the list by 15 January 1949. 7/ 2. Guerin, French governor of Regierungs Bezirk Rhein-Hessen, has been on sick leave since General Koenig's last visit to Mainz. Guerin will probably not return to duty but will resign. (Comment: The falling-out be- 25X1X6) tween Guerin and Koenig was caused by Guerin's insistence on building dwelling houses in Mainz instead of using labor and materials for construction of government buildings for the German Land government.) cumper to bordly reginard to Januar und With the Director of Car 300 to tho Archivist of the timing Next Review Date: 2000

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